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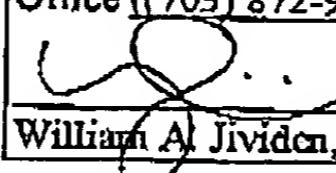
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This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2005, and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment for not providing the proper status identifier. Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below, which include, in order of appearance, beginning on separate sheets:

- Amendments to the Claims; and
- Remarks.